

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is <u>Amendment B and Exhibit</u> for filing in the above-identified application.

- [X] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity Statement previously submitted.
- [ ] A Small Entity Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

(COL. 1)			- ((	JOL. 2)	(COL. 3)		
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		PRE	HEST NO. VIOUSLY AID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA		
TOTAL	29	MINUS	*	29	0		
INDEP	9	MINUS	**	9	0		
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM							

not fewer than 20

\*\* not fewer than 3

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RATE		ADDIT. FEE				
x	\$9	\$				
X	\$42	\$				
+	\$140	\$				

TOTAL =\$ 0

	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
X	\$18	\$
Х	\$84	\$
+	\$280	\$

OR

OTHER THAN

**SMALL ENTITY** 

TOTAL =\$\_\_\_\_0

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sease cha	rge Deposit Account No. 0	8-0380 for the following fees	•		
[]	Petition for [ ] 1	month Extension of Time		\$	
[]	Amendment Fee			\$	
[]	Other Fees:				
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				\$	
			TOTAL:	\$	0
A check is	enclosed in payment of the	e following fees:			
[ X]	Petition for three month Extension of Time			\$	465
[ ]	Amendment Fee	•		\$_	
[X]	Other Fees:				
	Supplemental Information	mation Disclosure Statement		\$	180
				\$	
			ΤΩΤΔΙ ·	\$	645

[X]A general authorization is hereby granted to charge Deposit Account No. 08-0380 for any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 in order to maintain pendency of this application. A copy of this authorization is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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